

Miami, Florida  
August 8, 1960

MEMO, SAC

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1-62-1273  
1-92-406  
1-92-117  
1-92-558  
1-92-99  
1-92-353  
1-92-100  
1-62-2349  
1-92-103

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1-92-89  
1-92-101  
1-92-1186  
1-92-557  
1-87-12770  
1-92-515  
1-92-104  
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on other phases of the game beyond the outcome of the game. b7C  
[redacted] right hand man.

[redacted] is a close friend of [redacted] b7C  
presently at the [redacted]

[redacted] is considered one of the best [redacted] b7C  
[redacted] in the country.

[redacted]  
In effort to locate this individual who [redacted] b7C  
[redacted] made numerous contacts and so far only found that [redacted] b7D  
[redacted] said he had not seen him in several months and at  
that time it was in [redacted]  
knew, he claimed he has not seen [redacted] since then here or  
elsewhere.

[redacted]  
In an effort to determine if [redacted] b2  
[redacted] b7C  
contacted. Informant stated [redacted] the early part of the b7D  
week before last stopped into the [redacted]  
[redacted] He never heard  
of [redacted] but would make further  
inquiry.

JOE FISCHETTI  
Miami file 92-99

He had previously heard that FRANK SINATRA  
purchased a piece of [redacted] in the  
Cal Neva Lodge, Lake Tahoe, California. The past week

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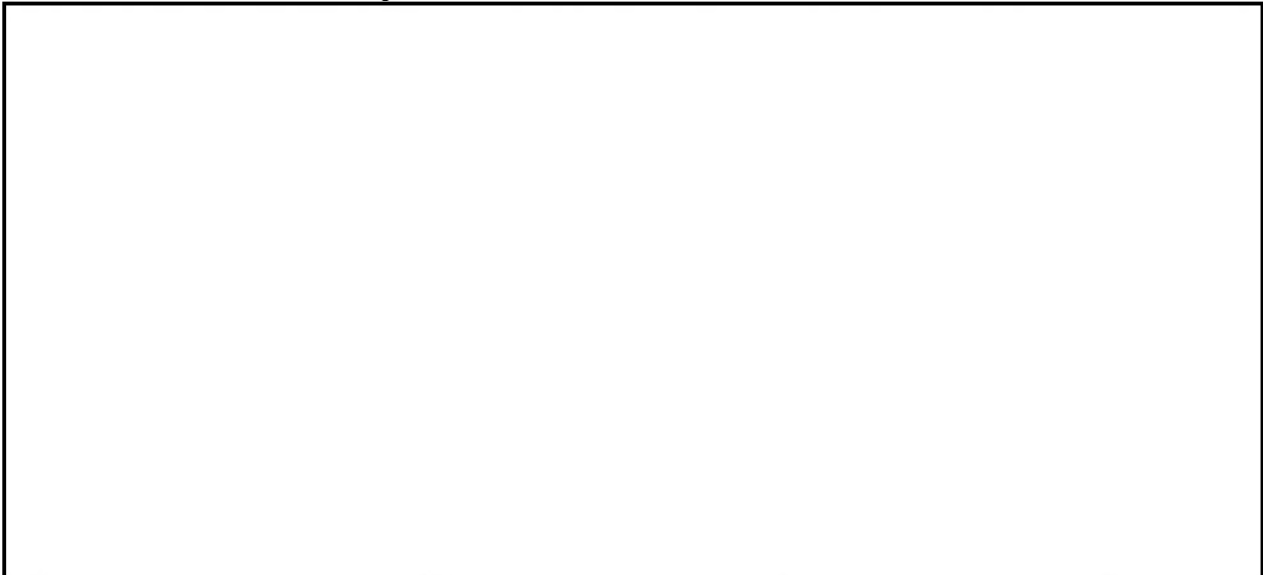
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As previously  
furnished by the informant,  JOE  
FISCHEPPI, who was recently on the west coast and who visited  
with FRANK SINATRA,



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1 - 92-99 (FISCHEPPI) b7D  
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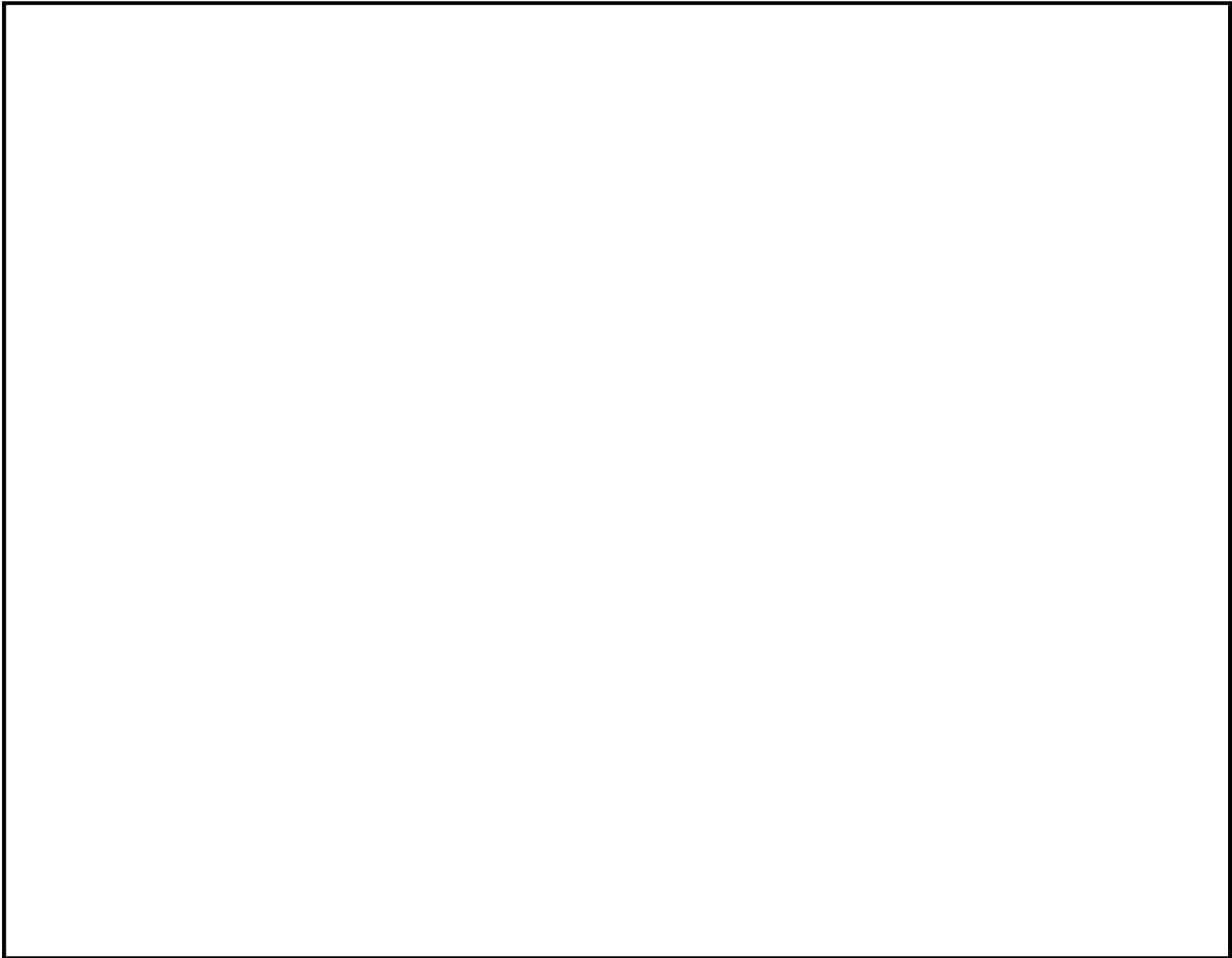
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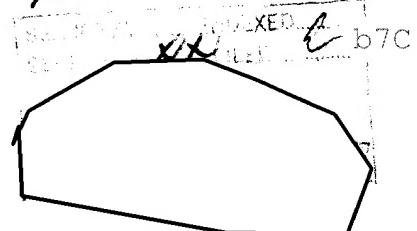


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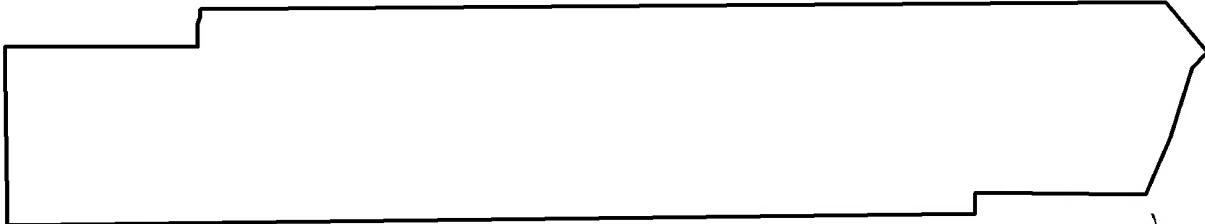
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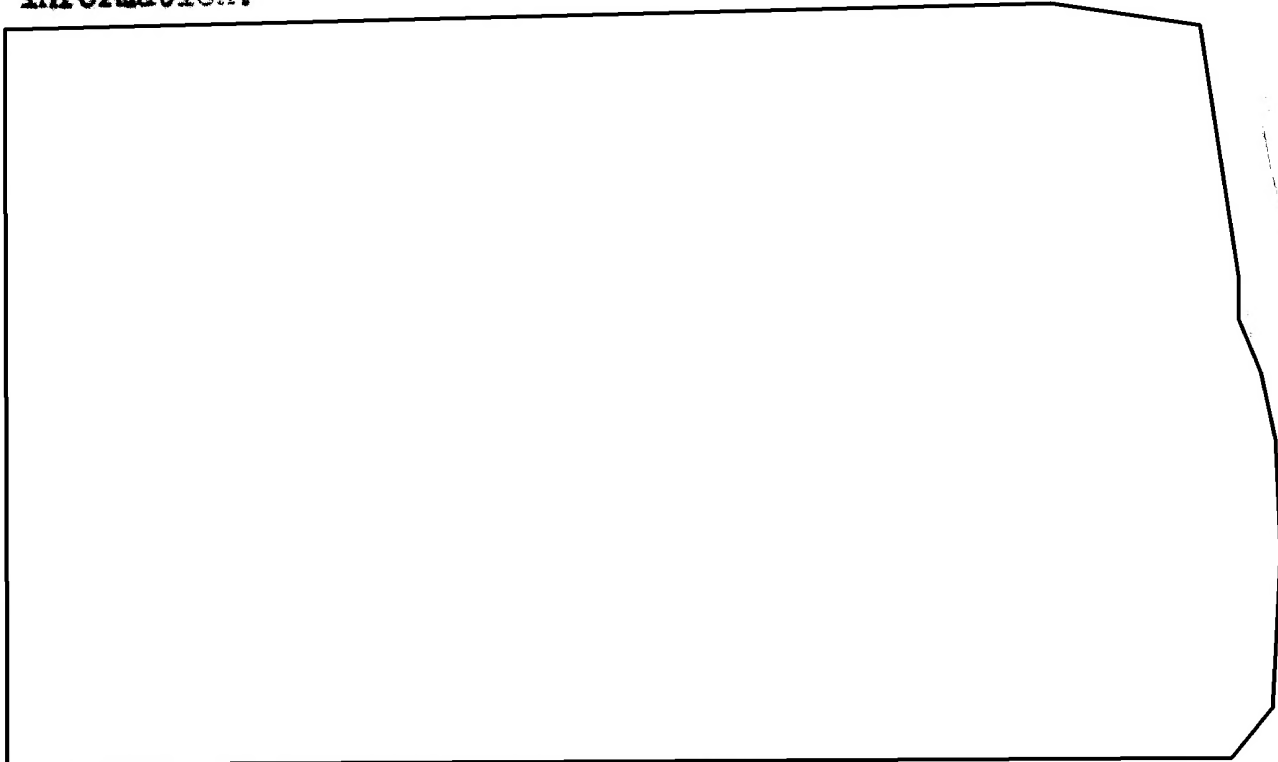
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He also said he was told that FRANK SINATRA has acquired 25 points in the Cal Neva Lodge and obtained 8 points for JOE FISCHETTI.

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 furnished the following information:



On 1/18/61, he learned there is gambling on top of pool tables at the Teepee Club on Saturdays and Sundays.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

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DATE: 8-16-61

FROM : SA [redacted]

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☐ CI ☐ SI  
☒ PCI ☐ PSI

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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PCI

Dates of Contact		8-14-61	
Title		James Riddle Hoffa, MM 62-4673	
JOE FISCHETTI AR NM 92-99		assigned to SA [redacted]	
[redacted]		b7C	
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Purpose and results of contact			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive			
PCI said JOE FISCHETTI used to come in [redacted] several years ago [redacted] at which time FISCHETTI PCI said he has had no contact with FISCHETTI recently but understands he is "living off FRANK SINATRA."			
PCI said he has seen [redacted] b7C b7D			
[redacted] in the near future.			
Just prior to the contact with PCI, he was observed talking to [redacted]			
[redacted] b7C b7D			
92-99-172			
<input type="checkbox"/> Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.			
Personal Data		Rating vg	
		Coverage same	
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1 - [redacted]  
1 - 92-99  
1 - 87-12222

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August 14, 1961  
Miami, Florida

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RE: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnished the following information:

RE: JAMES RIDDLE HOFFA, ET AL b2  
Miami File 62-4673 b7D

Upon receipt of instructions to determine the activities by a [REDACTED] reported as follows on [REDACTED]

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1b - Miami  
1 - [REDACTED] b2  
1 - [REDACTED] b7D  
1 - 62-1273  
1 - 62-4673 (HOFFA)  
1 - 92-99 (FISCHETTI)  
1 - 92-101  
1 - 92-442 [REDACTED] b7C  
1 - 92-458  
1 - 92-386  
1 - 87-726 (JEWEL THIEVES)  
1 - 62-1273  
1 - 92-405 [REDACTED]

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RE: JOE FISCHETTI  
Miami File 92-99  
7/29/61

He was told that in addition to FISCHETTI having an interest in Puccini Restaurant (old Riccio's Restaurant) that FRANK SINATRA and DEAN MARTIN will have a piece of it, and they plan to open it by November 1.

He was also told that although this restaurant has lost money in the past, FISCHETTI expects to make money out of it, because of the many deals expected to "jell" out of there and from the anticipated profits from gambling in the back room.

RE:   
Miami File 92-101  
8/8/61

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He observed nothing new and received no information relative to  other than  is making some extensive repairs on his home.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO: SAC, MIAMI (92-99)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (92-850)

SUBJECT: JOSEPH FISCHETTI aka  
ANTI-RACKETEERING  
(OO: Miami)

DATE: 10/4/61

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Re Miami report of SA [redacted] 8/24/61.

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[redacted]

For the information of WFO, Miami had requested NY to check records relating to deportation hearings of [redacted] to determine whether FRANK SINATRA or JOE FISCHETTI has acted in behalf of [redacted]

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WFO is requested to contact INS at Washington, D.C. for the above desired information and furnish results of INS record check to Miami.

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- 2 - Miami (92-99)
- 2 - Washington Field
- 1 - New York (92-850)

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10/26/61

AIRTEL

TO: SAC, MIAMI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (92-1595)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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ALL  
(OO:NY)

Re Bureau airtel to NY, dated 10/18/61.

The subject [REDACTED] of the NYO.

[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised SA [REDACTED] that shortly after a series of meetings of NY hoodlums held in Riccio's (ph) Restaurant on the 79th Street Causeway in Miami, Florida, during February, 1961, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] one of the FISCHETTI brothers from Chicago, with money belonging to FRANK SINATRA, bought Riccio's Restaurant. The informant [REDACTED] and heard that the deal involved approximately \$90,000 of SINATRA's money.

The above information is furnished for informational purposes of the Miami Division.

2 - Miami  
1 - New York (92-1595)

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Date: 10/30/61

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: SAC, MIAMI (92-99)  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (92-246)  
RE: JOSEPH FISCHETTI  
AKA  
AR

Rerep of SA [REDACTED] 8/24/61 at b7C  
Miami.

Repeated attempts to contact FRANK SINATRA by Los Angeles Office have been unsuccessful. If he is unavailable through 11/2/61, appropriate lead will be sent to Las Vegas as he is scheduled to open at Sands Hotel that date.

② - Miami  
1 - Los Angeles  
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Approved: W. J. [Signature]  
Special Agent in Charge

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AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, LAS VEGAS  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (92-246) (RUC)  
RE: JOSEPH FISCHETTI, aka  
AR  
OO: MIAMI

Rerep of SA [redacted] dated 8/24/61, a copy of which is attached for Las Vegas.

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The Los Angeles Office has made repeated efforts to contact FRANK SINATRA without success. On 11/2/61, he opened a two or three week stand at the Sands Hotel, Las Vegas.

Las Vegas is requested to contact SINATRA at the Sands and interview him as set out in rerep.

2 - Las Vegas (Enc. 1)  
2 - Miami  
1 - Los Angeles  
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SAC, NEWARK (92-379)

11/6/61

SAC, MIAMI (92-86)(RUC)

[REDACTED]

aka b7C

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(OO: NEWARK)

Re Miami letter to Newark dated 8/22/61, and  
New York airtel to Newark dated 9/14/61.

The records of the Miami Police Department, Miami  
Beach Police Department, Dade County Department of Public  
Safety and Miami Municipal Court were checked with negative  
results for any record of [REDACTED] b7C

Likewise, no record of [REDACTED] was located  
in the files of the Police Departments at Hollywood, and  
Hallandale, Florida, and the Hollywood Credit Bureau,  
Hollywood, Florida. Informants and sources acquainted with  
the gambling element in the Hollywood and Hallandale, Florida  
area during the 1940 - 1950s could furnish no information  
regarding [REDACTED] or that [REDACTED] had lived in this  
area during recent years. b7C

Investigation by the Newark Office in the recent  
past has established the identity and activities of [REDACTED] b7C

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

- 2 - Newark
- 1 - New York (92-766)(Info)
- 2 - Miami (1 - 92-86)  
(1 - 92-99)

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[REDACTED]

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Hotel, New Orleans. Upon viewing a photograph of [redacted] [redacted] advised that she does not know such a person, never met him to her knowledge, and definitely never received a telephone call from such a person from New Orleans.

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[redacted] but does not recall ever having met

[redacted] sometime ago was associated with the

[redacted] further advised that through [redacted] she once met [redacted] in the Fontainebleau Hotel, Miami Beach, whom she described as from [redacted] with reportedly a questionable reputation. [redacted] she also became acquainted with JOSEPH FISCHER whose true name she now knows as JOSEPH FISCHETTI, now residing at 2315 Magnolia Road, Miami. She advised that FISCHER or FISCHETTI handles the booking of entertainers for the Fontainebleau Hotel, Miami Beach, [redacted] [redacted] FRANK SINATRA for dinner at the home of FISCHER or FISCHETTI while SINATRA was working at the Fontainebleau Hotel.

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In conclusion, [redacted] emphasized that she knows no one by the name of [redacted] and although she [redacted], she does not recall ever having met such persons at either New York City, Newark, New Jersey, or elsewhere.

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Records of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, Miami (as made available 9/20/61, to IC [redacted] protect identity) reflected that Miami telephone number PLaza 1-7053 is subscribed to by JOSEPH FISCHER, residence 2315 Magnolia Road, Miami, with service connected since 8/12/59. FISCHER has listed his status as retired with income from stocks and bonds.

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Same source made available information reflecting that Miami telephone number PLaza 1-4321 is listed to Puccini's Restaurant, 991 Northeast 79th Street, Miami, with service connected there on 5/1/61, and bills forwarded to Lee and Mary, Inc., same address.

For information of Newark, JOSEPH FISCHETTI, aka, is a top hoodlum under investigation by the Miami Office for some time. He lives with his wife at 2315 Magnolia Road, Keystone Point, Miami, under the name of JOSEPH FISCHER. His brothers, ROCCO and CHARLES FISCHETTI, aka, are well known Chicago hoodlums.

JOSEPH FISCHETTI represents himself as a self-employed talent scout who engages the entertainment for the Fontainebleau Hotel, Miami Beach, and reportedly always handles the booking of FRANK SINATRA at the Fontainebleau Hotel. Official records reflect that the officers for Puccini's Restaurant, 991 Northeast 79th Street, Miami (now under remodeling and expected to open in the near future) as THOMAS MONACO - President, MARY MONACO - Vice-President, and LEE JACOVA - Secretary and Treasurer, it is known that LEE JACOVA is actually Mrs. JOSEPH FISCHETTI, and it has been reported by several reliable sources that JOSEPH FISCHETTI and FRANK SINATRA have a financial interest in Puccini's Restaurant. [redacted] of JOSEPH FISCHETTI.

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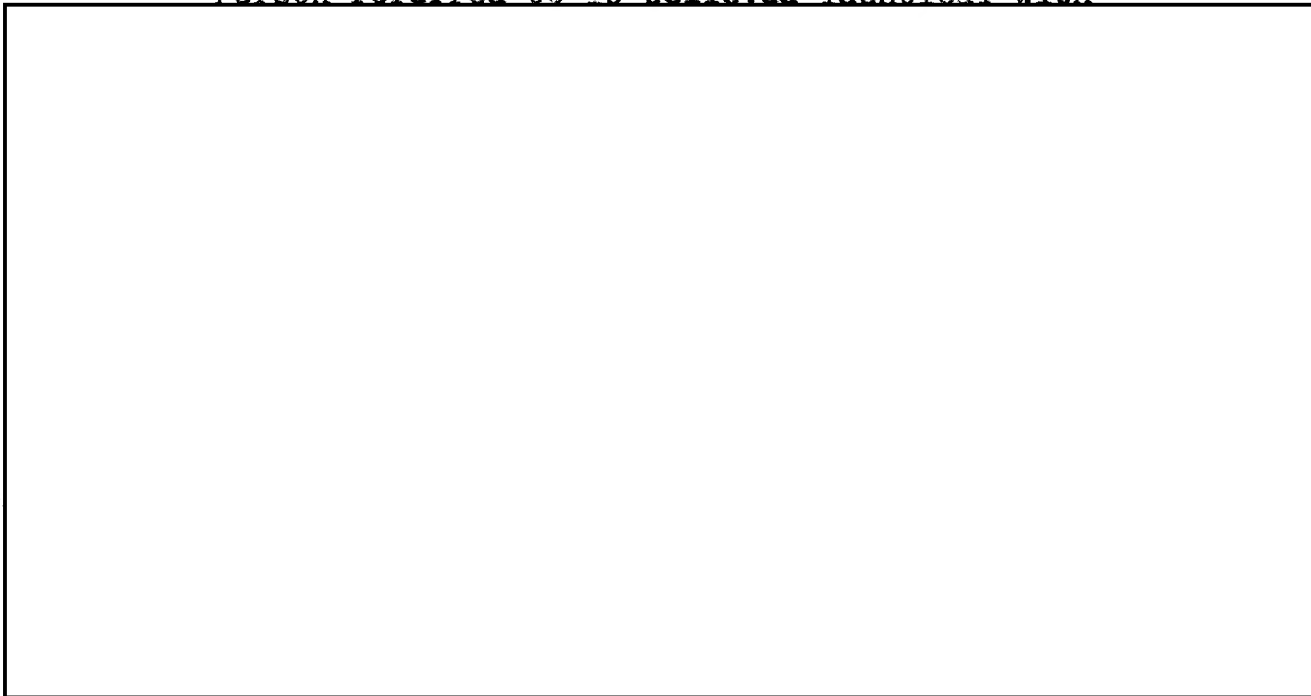
For the further information of Newark, Miami telephone numbers mentioned in New York airtel to Newark, dated 9/14/61, as having been called by the individual who registered at The Summit, East 51st Street, at Lexington Avenue, New York City, 9/5-7/61, as JOSEPH FISHER, 2315 Magnolia Road, Miami, Florida, are the telephone numbers identified above. PLaza 1-7053 at the residence of JOSEPH FISCHETTI and PLaza 1-4321 at Puccini's Restaurant.

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Newark teletype to the Bureau dated 7/6/61. mentions



Person referred to is believed identical with



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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, MIAMI (92-99)

DATE: 11/21/61

*m* FROM : SAC, WFO (92-630) (RUC)

SUBJECT: JOSEPH FISCHETTI, aka  
ANTI-RACKETEERING  
(OO:MM)

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RemMrep of SA [redacted] dated 10/26/61.

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[redacted] advised the only information pertaining to FRANK SINATRA or JOE FISCHETTI acting in behalf of [redacted] was obtained from the FBI. He advised his file reflected that on 6/21/61 a letter was received from the FBI reflecting that a Miami source had advised JOE FISCHETTI or FRANK SINATRA may act in behalf of [redacted]

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1-WFO  
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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, Miami (92-99)

DATE: 12/8/61

FROM : Director, FBI (92-3024)

SUBJECT: JOSEPH FISCHETTI, aka  
AR

Investigation by your office has developed information that subject purchased Puccini's Restaurant, which was expected to open for Thanksgiving Day, 1961. Subject has previously been in contact with many of the leading hoodlums in the Miami area and has been on occasion contacted by other hoodlums visiting Florida. You should immediately explore the possibility of utilizing a highly confidential source or technique to enable you to more accurately ascertain the subject's current activities and to evaluate his contacts and association with other hoodlums. If deemed advisable, you should request the Bureau for authority to conduct a survey.

The Los Vegas Office requested Bureau authority to interview Frank Sinatra at this time, however, authority was not granted for this interview. It was felt that such an interview at this step of the investigation would not be of the best interests of the Bureau. If your investigation is successful in developing additional information concerning Sinatra's contacts with the subject, you may wish to reconsider requesting Bureau authority for an interview of Sinatra.

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